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Dear Sir:

In response to Office Action mailed July 26, 2005, the time for response having been extended by a petition with a 2 months extension fee filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.